

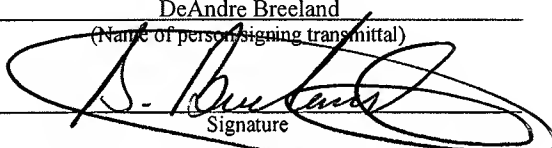
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takashi SAITO et al.
Serial No.: 10/594,002
Filing Date: May 29, 2007
For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING AUSTENITIC
STAINLESS STEEL, SOLDER-MELTING TANK, AND
AUTOMATIC SOLDERING APPARATUS
Art Unit: 1793
Examiner: Jesse Randall Roe
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 26, 2010, having a three-month shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on July 26, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins
on page 4 of this paper.

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